BEFORE THE SUMMERS COUNTY COMMISSION

AMENDED ORDER

RE: AMENDED TEEN COURT FEE

WHEREAS, West Virginia code 49-5-13(d) was amended to authorize counties to adopt a mandatory fee when a county elects to institute a Teen Court Program, to fund that program.

WHEREAS, West Virginia code 49-5-13(d) now provides "Each county or municipality that operates, or wishes to operate, a teen court program as provided in this section is hereby authorized to adopt a mandatory fee of up to five dollars to be assessed as provided in this subsection. Assessments collected by the clerk of the Court pursuant to this subsection shall be deposited into an account specifically for the operation and administration of a Teen Court Program. The clerk of the Court of conviction shall collect the fees established in this subsection and shall remit the fees to the Teen Court Program. Any mandatory fee established by the County Commission in accordance with the provisions of this subsection shall be paid by the Defendant on a judgment of guilty, a guilty plea or a plea of nolo contendere for each violation committed in the County of any felony or misdemeanor offense, including traffic violations or any local ordinance, but not for violations of municipal parking ordinances."

Accordingly, it is ADJUDGED, ORDERED AND DECREED that a Mandatory Fee is established in accordance with the provisions of West Virginia Code 49-5-13(d) in the amount of Five and 00/100 Dollars (\$5.00) to be paid by the Defendant on judgment of guilty, a guilty plea or a plea of nolo contendere for each violation committed in the County of any felony or misdemeanor offense, including traffic violations or any local ordinance, but not for violations of municipal parking ordinances, and that the Clerk of the Court shall collect the fee established hereby and shall remit the fees to the Summers County Teen Court Program.

The Clerk of the County Commission of Summers County is directed to forward a certified copy of this Order to the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Summers County, West Virginia, the Clerk of the Magistrate's Court of Summers County, West Virginia, the Clerk of the Municipal Court for the City of Hinton, West Virginia.

Upon a motion of <u>Jack David Woodrum</u>, seconded by <u>Bill Lightner</u>, the order pertaining to the Amended Teen Court Fee is approved and adopted by the County Commission of Summers County, West Virginia on this date, <u>December 17, 2012</u>.

Bill Lightner Commissioner

Jack David Woodrum, Commissioner

